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## Green vehicles curb pollution in Boracay

By **Miner B. Burgos Jr.**  
Inquirer Staff Writer

**ISLE CITY—HOPEFULLY**, when in Boracay, we may again hear from the ever-purring motorbikes—and less the roaring streets.

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## Inspired by PDI, teacher holds own read-along

By **Robert Gonzaga**  
Inquirer General Liaison

**DUMAGUITE CITY—**When English teacher Eva Imogen picked up a copy of the Inquirer last year, a story on the Read-Along campaign caught her attention.

The project was launched in May last year by the National Research Department.

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# Powell endorsement boosts Obama campaign

**WASHINGTON—DEMOCRAT** Barack Obama expanded his national lead over Republican John McCain in the 13th presidential race to 6 percentage points, a day after he secured the coveted endorsement of former Secretary of State Colin Powell, a Republican stalwart.

In a surprise reversal to McCain, Powell said the United States needed a "transformational figure" and said that should the Democratic senator win on Nov. 4, "all Americans should be proud, not just African-Americans."

Obama's expanding lead came as he received the endorsement of Powell, and announced he had raised a staggering \$350 million in September.

His fundraising had shattered the records he already owns and will fuel a huge advantage for Obama in paid advertising in the final 35 days of the campaign.

Some other morning polls also showed the race tightening in the last few days, but Obama's expanding lead came as he received the endorsement of Powell, and announced he had raised a staggering \$350 million in September.

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# Asia to beef up crisis fund

## World stocks rise on hopes financial crisis easing

**LONDON—GLOBAL STOCKS** rose sharply on Monday with investors across Asia and Europe encouraged by news that world leaders planned to hold a series of summits aimed at tackling the worst financial crisis since the Great Depression in the 1930s.



**PRESIDENT Macapagal-Arroyo shows a giant check representing the P1.2-billion cost of the PhilHealth cards that she handed out to families of trike operators and drivers on Monday in Pasig City.**

## Teves says Asean+3 working on initiative

By **Doris C. Danlase**

**WITH OR WITHOUT FUNDING** from the World Bank, the Association of Southeast Asian Nations plus China, Japan and South Korea (Asean+3) will pursue new initiatives to reinforce the region's defenses against the worst global financial meltdown in 80 years.

Tokyo closed up 3.59 percent, Hong Kong surged 3.3 percent, while Shanghai rose 2.25 percent despite news that China's economic growth had slowed in the third quarter.



**MEMBERS of various trike operators and drivers associations rejoice after President Macapagal-Arroyo announced her early Christmas gift to them in the form of fuel discounts, health insurance, scholarships and other perks.**

Asian leaders setting up a regional facility to help Asean countries experiencing liquidity problems, talks are under way to turn into a multilateral scheme the \$84-billion Asean Internal Swap Arrangement under the Chiang Mai initiative, Philippine officials said yesterday.

Finance Secretary Margarita Tirona said there was a "consciousness of a regional facility to assist Asian countries during an Asean+3 meeting held on the sidelines of the meetings hosted by International Monetary Fund (IMF) and World Bank on Oct. 20-21 in London."

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South Korea's shares also gained for the first time in four days after the government announced a \$136-billion plan to bolster the country's volatile markets and the credit crisis.

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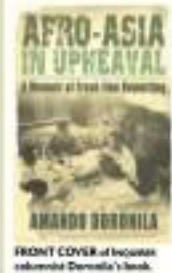
## GMA urged to realign P33-B fund

By **Glenn C. Calalang Jr.**

**SAYING THAT THE COUNTRY** is faced with having to choose "pain now or more pain later," an economic adviser to President Macapagal-Arroyo is calling for a realignment of P33 billion in the proposed 2009 budget from capital spending to direct subsidy aid for education, health services and food.

The P33 billion is part of an P85-billion economic package that Deputy Gov. Juvy Salcedo is proposing to help the country, especially the poor, cope with the global economic downturn and financial turmoil.

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## Sukarno joked, laughed as his regime crumbled

(Editor's Note: Inquirer columnist Amanda Doronila's distinguished service as a foreign correspondent forms the backbone of the first volume of his memoirs, "Afro-Asia in Upheaval: A Memoir of Front-Line Reporting." In this excerpt, he recounts an encounter with a seemingly-in-control Sukarno during the Indonesian struggle for independence. The book will be launched on Thursday, Oct. 23.)

(Part of the report)

**AT 10 A.M. FRIDAY [MARCH 18, 1948],** Radio Jakarta announced that [Army Chief Soeharto] had placed 15 Cabinet members under "protective custody." The arrest opened a week of hectic backroom negotiations between Sukarno and Soeharto and the

## Early Christmas for trike drivers

By **Christian Y. Eggera and Ronel W. Domingo**

**ONE DAY IN THE 1980s,** THEN SEN. GLORIA Macapagal-Arroyo found herself stuck in Pasig.

Her original destination was Sibuyan Island but her flight had been diverted. The daughter of a former Philippine president grudgingly took a tricycle—a rarity for a national official outside of campaign season—all the way to the town where a place where a home transported her to the island.

The experience apparently left a deep impression on Ms. Arroyo because yesterday she gave something back to tricycle drivers around the country.







# SO THE PEOPLE WILL KNOW

Hereunder is the letter-appeal of the Coalition of Chambers of Commerce and Industry Associations of Northern Mindanao to

**Her Excellency President Gloria Macapagal-Arroyo**

## COALITION OF CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY ASSOCIATIONS Northern Mindanao

### AN APPEAL TO PRESIDENT

14 October 2008

**H.E. PRESIDENT  
GLORIA MACAPAGAL-ARROYO**

Malacañang, Manila

Your Excellency,

With all humility we come to your Excellency on a matter of survival for our businesses. In the last three (3) consecutive years, our Revenue District in Cagayan de Oro was consistently recognized as Most Outstanding, among the country's top three (3) in tax collection. This clearly demonstrates our cooperation with the Bureau of Internal Revenue in nation-building through the payment of correct taxes.

However, the cooperation and tax consciousness of our members have been abused by the BIR Regional Director of Region XVI when he formed a Special Task Force composed of the Regional Special Investigation Division (SID), and issued hundreds of Letters of Authority (LAs) and Mission Order (MOs) to conduct tax examinations on the heels of the annual tax audit by the Revenue District Officers (RDOs). The Regional Director has issued a barrage of LAs and MOs, and repeated subpoenas duces tecum with undue procedural haste, giving no reasonable opportunity to our members to comply before the Regional Director imposes arbitrary and oppressive "assessments".

Consequently, we most humbly appeal to you Madam President, for the following corrective measures:

- The reassignment of Dr. Mustapha M. Gandarosa as Regional Director of BIR Region XVI, to another Region or to the National Office;
- Retain the regular tax audit by the RDOs concerned on an annual basis and set aside the on-going series of tax examinations of the BIR Regional Task Force, and accordingly, recall the tax "assessments" thereunder.

To demonstrate the depth and extent of our suffering under these oppressive tax examinations and "assessments", our members will be constrained to stage simultaneous **BUSINESS SHUTDOWN (SARA PROTESTA)** initially on October 18, 2008 (Saturday).

Madam President, please help us survive, even under the looming world financial crisis.  
Thank you very much.

Sincerely yours,

  
**MR. EFRÉN S. UY**  
President  
Northern Mindanao Philippine-German  
Chamber of Commerce & Industry

  
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## MEAT PRODUCTS WHERE NO MELAMINE WAS DETECTED

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| 1. Argentina Corned Beef Chaunks, 1kg                       | 10. Mal.ing Premium Pork Luncheon Meat, 307g                      |
| 2. Chang Long Pork Luncheon Meat, 130g                      | 11. Mal.ing Vienna Sausages, 1kg                                  |
| 3. Greenwall Brand Premium Ham Luncheon Meat, 340g          | 12. Norwegian Brand Pork Mince with Beer Pasta, 185g              |
| 4. Goding (China Wolf-Kaiser Mark) Pork Luncheon Meat, 340g | 13. Norwegian Brand Premium Luncheon Meat, 307g                   |
| 5. Liberty Pork Luncheon Meat, 175g                         | 14. Norwegian Brand Special Pork Cakes, 142g                      |
| 6. Mal.ing Corned Pork Luncheon Meat, 307g                  | 15. Norwegian Brand Stewed Pork, 307g                             |
| 7. Mal.ing Chaunks Corned Beef, 150g                        | 16. Purefoods Chinese Style Luncheon Meat, 105g                   |
| 8. Mal.ing Pork Luncheon Meat, 170g                         | 17. Purefoods Corned Beef, 210g                                   |
| 9. Mal.ing Pork Luncheon Meat, 307g                         | 18. Shanghai Brand Chinese Luncheon Meat (Pork-Bacon Style), 105g |

## MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS WHERE NO MELAMINE WAS DETECTED

(As Of 15 October 2008)

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| 1. Auster Milk (A1)   | 32. B&W Ultra Condensed             | 60. Nestle's Milk (A1)  |
| 2. Auster Milk (A2)   | 33. Borden's Condensed Milk Product | 61. Nestle's Milk (A2)  |
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## MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS WHERE MELAMINE WAS DETECTED

(As Of 15 October 2008)

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| 1. Greenwall (YB) Fresh Milk (in Chinese characters)                                 | 1. LOTTE Strawberry Smooth & Creamy Ice Cream |
| 2. Jolly Day Brand High Calcium Low Fat Milk (Green Calcium & Vitamin D3, 1.1 liter) | 4. M&M's (in Chinese characters)              |

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Labanan ang  
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# RECALL ELECTION BUDGET

# Foes seek P25M in gov't funds vs Panlilio

**CITY OF SAN FERRANDO**—The provincial board has proposed an ordinance offering P25 million of the province's funds for the recall election against Gov. Rodrigo Duterte.

Proposed Ordinance No. 284 would authorize P25 million for the recall campaign against Duterte, who is currently in his second term as governor.

Gov. Duterte has said that he will not run for a third term in 2010. He is currently in his second term as governor.

## Board support

"We will have a recall election in 2010. It is not a matter of if, but when," he said. The board's action comes after the recall campaign against Duterte, who is currently in his second term as governor.

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## Convictions stand in Gokongwei kin case

By Norman Borlengue

THE SUPREME COURT has upheld the conviction for kidnapping and homicide of the abductors of a 300-to-400 of business tycoon, Jose Gokongwei. The court also upheld the conviction for the kidnapping of his daughter, Patricia Gokongwei.

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## Divers broke rules but are cited anyway for heroism

By Joseph R. Ly

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# Gas station owner loses P.3M to robbers

**DID YOU KNOW**

**By Staff**  
A GAS STATION OWNER LOST around P300,000 in cash to motorcycle-riding robbers on a busy street in Shing City yesterday morning.

Justine Medallina, 41, owner of the Shing City Gas Station at 8 Legarda Street, said the money was the establishment's earnings over three days.

He told the police that he was in his owner-type jeep on his way to deposit the money in a bank when he was hit by a motorcycle-banked heup.

Medallina added that he was carrying around P300,000 with him for the address bookkeeping but he took a plastic bag containing P150,000.

The Public Attorney's Office (PAO) is an attached agency of the Department of Justice which provides legal assistance to individuals. It is the PAO's role to the Agricultural Services Commission which was formed in 1990 to give legal assistance to agricultural workers.

In 1997, substantial donors created the Office's Legal Assistance Office which specialized administrative, criminal and labor cases. It was then moved to Public Attorney's Office.

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The robbery occurred on Marikina Avenue in Marikina City, where he was parked in front of Robinson's Lumber at about 9 a.m. The case involves P.O.D. Roberto Uy, said Medallina.

Medallina said the suspect pointed a 45-caliber pistol at him and grabbed his items before committing the robbery. He said he tried to run down the motorcycle at least twice, prompting one of the suspects to shoot him.

He said he was hit in the head, but the right side of his body.

"They looked hot. They were limping after I ran over them with my motorcycle," Medallina said.

A detective, the suspect was identified as a motorcycle rider, member KM 102, and mentioned a lot of gangster, he said.

After hearing, the case involves Uy, who was in the police to report that the suspects told him to drop them off near the Road Technology University in Marikina City from which they boarded a heup.

The police chief, Capt. Romeo Aring, said robbers using motorcycle "to transport" a bulk of crimes committed in the city.

"It's much easier to escape rapidly than when they're heavy traffic," he said in an interview.

For this reason, he said the Police director were conducting checkpoints in at least 100 motorcycle lanes around the city, including C. Rodriguez Avenue, Divisoria, Lungsod and Marikina City, among others.

Medallina described the suspect holding the gun to his head, holding and waving a letter that.

The other suspect, a black-haired man, was handcuffed and wrapped around his head, he added.

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**MetroBriefs**  
**Cape rescue abducted Korean**  
SPECIAL AGENTS of the Manila Police District (MPD) rescued a Korean woman who was allegedly kidnapped by a criminal who had been captured in a hotel room for two days in an unpaid debt. Sunday, April 26, was the woman's rescue. The woman, a 30-year-old Korean woman, was rescued from the hands of a criminal who had been captured in a hotel room for two days in an unpaid debt. The woman was rescued from the hands of a criminal who had been captured in a hotel room for two days in an unpaid debt.

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**Metro cops on cemetery watch**  
MORE THAN 5,000 policemen, soldiers and other watchmen will be deployed throughout Metro Manila during the observance of All Souls' Day on Tuesday, October 31, at the San Antonio Cemetery. The police will be deployed to the cemetery to maintain order and prevent any illegal activities. The police will be deployed to the cemetery to maintain order and prevent any illegal activities.



# Taliban insurgents behead 30 bus passengers

KABUL, Afghanistan — TALIBAN FIGHTERS pulled some 50 passengers off a bus in southern Afghanistan and beheaded as many as 30 of them after accusing them of being soldiers working in civilian clothes. Afghan officials in the region announced the findings.

The police chief of Kandahar province, where the attack occurred, said five of the bodies were sent to his jail but have been cut, mutilated and dumped. The police had received information that 24 others had been killed but had yet to find the bodies, the police chief, Gen. Masoudi, said. The attack occurred on Thursday on the route from Kandahar to the southern city of Herat in the western town of Herat, which is known to have had a significant Taliban presence, where attacks on military convoys are frequent. It is also the main road for British and Afghan army troops working in Kandahar province, where the insurgency is as violent as in the east.

The attack follows a pattern of intensifying and indiscriminate violence against civilians, according to a report from the United Nations.

## Iraqis raise reservations over security pact with US

BAGHDAD — A PACIFIED STAFF WOULD HELP THE Iraqi government to secure the raising of Iraqi political leaders on security, raising doubts about whether it can meet the challenge of a new coalition.

The Iraqi government has been unable to get the pact with the United States, which is the main focus of the coalition, to get the pact with the United States, which is the main focus of the coalition, to get the pact with the United States, which is the main focus of the coalition.

"They just finished the meeting and they did not take a decision on the pact," the Iraqi government spokesman said. "The pact is still in the air."

The pact is a security pact between the Iraqi government and the United States, which is the main focus of the coalition, to get the pact with the United States, which is the main focus of the coalition, to get the pact with the United States, which is the main focus of the coalition.

Barley, the Shiite alliance that faces the case of Prime Minister Nuri al-Maliki's government said it would change the pact, despite a government position that the pact is final and will be implemented.

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insider support for the Afghan government. A Taliban spokesman, Qari Muhsin Ahmad, said on Sunday that the group was responsible for the killings and said that 27 passengers had been taken from a bus three days earlier and killed after spending time in a Taliban camp.

"We document solid proof and documents that they were with the Afghan National Army, and also we had solid information that they were going to Kabul to help the Army," he said by telephone, referring to the capital of Afghanistan province. He said the Taliban had killed the men's families to ensure that they had been caught and that they would not be caught.

Afghan officials angrily denied that the passengers were soldiers or police officers and said that they were all civilians who were on their way to work in the city of Herat.

"This is a very sad and sad case for the Taliban," said Abdul Manaj, the governor of Kandahar province. "The evidence is clear, and we respect that justice system organization investigate thoroughly" RPT

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"They are in a state of confusion," he said. The pact will still go to the Cabinet for approval. The pact will still go to the Cabinet for approval. The pact will still go to the Cabinet for approval. The pact will still go to the Cabinet for approval.

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MANILA, October 10, 2008

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The text game is PROCON's latest in launching the growing number of cellular phone-based games in the country by offering a text version of the popular lottery games when they launch. Because of the cellular phone's 24/7 availability, players can win while playing and get a chance to win big by sending text-based numbers. Although similar to the text-based lottery game, TKTNGSGM SUPER SINGING GAME is different by having the lowest prize at the value of only P100.00 per entry, more competition prizes, and a chance to win big.

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In its first week of existence, TKTNGSGM has already given away P2.1 million, with P10.00 million prizes, nearly 500,000 P100,000 prizes, and P100,000 prizes. It is already available to SMART and TNL Text subscribers. The TKTNGSGM SUPER SINGING GAME is designed for ease of use. Players just have to choose five (5) numbers, where the 1st four (4) numbers are chosen from 1 to 70 and the 5th number is the 5th or last number to choose from 1 to 10, and RET.

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## First crude oil cargo from Galoc set in Nov.

Wells producing 18,000-20,000 bpd

By Abigail L. Ho

THE FIRST ORPHANT OF CINDER: We know the Cinderella ball has been scheduled for the first week of November, following the start of production two weeks

Gulco Production Co. (GPC), the operator of Baytex Canada Ltd. noting the Gulco reserves, is currently analyzing data gathered from the oil wells.

"There has also been 31 days of production from the Gusher Field, during which time well tests have been undertaken and production from both wells commenced. While the well test data has yet to be analyzed, performance is consistent with expectations, and steady state production of 18,000-20,000 barrels a day is anticipated within the next few days," CPC said in a statement posted on its website.

The new ranges of crude oil from Gabon Refit is scheduled during the first week of November.<sup>2</sup> is added.

Oil from the Guller Field is referred to as Paleocene Light. Due to its similarity with Arabian Light and Umm Shaif, both of which come from the Middle East.

After a series of delays, the Guller field is officially northwest Indonesia's first natural production on OIL 9, boosting the country's hopes of becoming 40 percent energy self-sufficient by 2010.

Based on the contractor's reasonable, flow testing would be conducted over the coming weeks to establish production.

For the rest of the year, production should average around 17,000 barrels a day.

"We embrace this significant development as this will help immensely in our pursuit to be energy self-sufficient. We are expecting to get 30,000 barrels a day to the first 90 days of commercial production. That will provide for 5 percent of the daily oil demand of the country. We are on the right track, in terms of our technology."

Energy	Advisor,
George	Secretary
Angela	Brown, math.

CPC won 38.12 percent of DC 14C, while Australian firm Fluor Petroleum Ltd. and Gas Energy Ltd. held stakes of 22.38 and 18.18 percent, respectively.

Other shareholders are listed companies. The Pricedrive Corp. (Nasdaq:PRCD) owned

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# Farm output expected to decline in 3rd quarter

By Amy R. Rame

**PHILIPPINE FARM OUTPUT MAY slow down in the third quarter this year to less than 3 percent due to declining rates of production inputs, agriculture Secretary Antonio C. Velez Jr. said today.**

"We've been fortunate during the first half of the year, with high food and fertilizer costs," Velez said. "But now, coming close to the end of the year, we're already observing a decline in production rates of agriculture services."

In the third quarter last year, the agriculture sector grew 5.5 percent, due largely to the strong performance of the pig, corn and banana subsectors.

According to the agriculture chief, high food costs have had a "negative impact" on commercial farmers, which led him to register a smaller expansion in 2008, compared to two-year level.

Fishermen are currently reeling from the high prices of fuel, which could mean about 60 to 70 percent of their production losses.

For the past several years, the fisheries sector has almost always lost. But the recent biggest contributor to farm growth, next to the crop sector.

But Velez warns, which have more than doubled to P2,000 a bag from last year's figure, will also have an impact on poultry and productivity.

Agriculture officials said that some farmers had to cut back on the use of this vital farm input as they could not afford to purchase it.

"Definitely I see an impact on production volume going down, but to what extent, whether we're going to go negative or not, is something that we're studying right now," Velez explained.

The agriculture chief further dis-

closed that farm growth for 2008 would not likely reach the government's high-end target of 5.5 percent.

"According to the National Economic Development Authority, the agriculture sector grew between 4.7 and 5.2 percent this year, and that's also close to our projection of 4.8 to 5.2 percent," he said.

"We're still studying exactly how much it will go to be on the low end or middle end of that target, but I think the high end is already not possible."

Last year, the agriculture sector grew 4.8 percent despite the dry spell earlier in the year.

Even if the government were to re-

late the forecast of the Agriculture Secretary, already predicted that total poultry output could only reach 10.6 million metric tons in 2008, lower by 2.3 percent than last year's government estimates of 17.8 million metric tons.

Corn production—which was earlier expected to post an 18 percent growth to 7.96 million metric tons—is now expected to grow by only 4 percent to 7 million metric tons.

Growth in the fisheries sector, which has always been the best performing subsector in the past few years, is seen to slow down to only 3 percent this year, from an earlier government estimate of 11 percent.

Meanwhile, the livestock sector is also recovering from a loss with twice diseases that had affected backyard pig farms last year.

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## 23-year tax veteran becomes top revenue

REVENUE SECRETARY RAM REYES appointed head of the Bureau of Internal Revenue (BIR) in 2008. He is a 23-year tax veteran.

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## Electronics still seen to be strong in coming

By Miguel L. Ho

THE PHILIPPINE FINANCIAL REVIEW, electronics industry is still expected to be strong in the long term, but will suffer the adverse impact of the economic downturn in the first half of 2009.

In an interview, Business and Economics Industries of the Philippines Inc. (BEP) President and Managing Director, Ramon S. Reyes, said that the electronics industry is still expected to be strong in the long term, but will suffer the adverse impact of the economic downturn in the first half of 2009.

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## Banks' NPL ratio

By Miguel L. Ho

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# Q1 public sector debt hit P4.97T

Pump-priming activities seen to reflect on gov't debt stock

By Michelle K. Rana

THE COUNTRY'S PUBLIC SECTOR DEBT stock—on liabilities incurred by the nation, at and local governments, as well as state-owned firms—reached P4.97 trillion by the end of the first quarter, rising by 4 percent from the P4.77 trillion standing in the same period last year.

The data from the Department of Finance showed that of the latest debt figure, P2.31 trillion was accounted for by loans secured from domestic creditors, while P2.66 trillion accounted for by liabilities denominated in foreign currencies.

The public sector is categorized into two types: The financial and the non-financial sectors.

The former is composed of government-owned banks and the latter financial institutions. Government entities are assigned to the financial business are classified as nonfinancial public sector.

The national government is part of the nonfinancial public sector.

Under the Financial public sector reached P4.122 trillion, while liabilities of the nonfinancial sector hit P2.899 trillion.

Government sector debt holdings, which include loans obtained by way of government debt from abroad, are deducted from the debt of the financial and non-financial sectors to arrive at the public sector debt stock.

Finance officials explained the increasing government debt holdings from the debt stock was necessary to avoid defaulting the figure.

Intergovernmental debt should not be counted as part of the public sector debt because government also serves as the creditor.

Intergovernment sector's debt amounted to P2.16 trillion as of end-March 2008.

The government alone posted an outstanding debt of P3.88 trillion in the first quarter, being the largest contributor to the public sector debt for the period.

The debt stock of the government was up from P3.712 trillion in the fourth quarter of last year.

The increase in the government's debt was attributed to its improving budget deficit, which forced it to continue borrowing to fund expenditures requirements that could not be accommodated by internally generated funds.

The government was expected to post a balanced budget this year, but economic managers decided to push back the goal of fiscal consolidation in 2009.

Then said the government needed to pump-prime the economy, by increasing public spending, to help maintain decent growth despite a global slowdown.

The DOF also reported that the debt stock of the public sector in the first quarter represented 73.2 percent of the country's gross domestic product during the period.

The latest public sector debt stock-in-Q1 ratio marked an increase from only 71.8 percent in the fourth quarter of last year.

From then the DOF also showed the contingent obligations for the first quarter stood at P85.5 billion, higher than the P50.9 billion in the same period a year ago.

These liabilities are composed of debts that are guaranteed by government entities.

In case of default, therefore, these liabilities will be added to the public sector debt.

Of the latest contingent debt figure, P51.5 billion was composed of loans incurred by state-owned companies that were guaranteed by the government.

Government-owned and -controlled companies usually seek sovereign guarantees to make it easier for them to secure loans.

Some creditors, especially foreign and multilateral ones, require a sovereign guarantee before an entity could obtain a loan to maintain risk of default.

## DOF urged to ease insurance firms' capital requirements

THE INSURANCE COMMISSION HAS urged the Department of Finance to relax the capitalization requirements of life and non-life insurance companies, saying that these are too stiff.

Mike Chiong, insurance deputy commissioner, said his office had submitted a letter to the DOF explaining the position of the Philippine Life Insurance Association (PLIA) and the Philippine Insurance and Reinsurance Association (PIRA) on why the capitalization requirements should be eased.

So far, the capitalization requirements are still the same," Chiong said, despite reports that the requirements had already been amended.

"But we have already submitted a letter to the DOF requesting for amendments to the department rules, and we are waiting for a response," Chiong said, adding that it is a joint endeavor that reached the ease of insurance rules.

Chiong was referring to Insurance Order No. 27, 2006, issued by the Department of Finance, that mandated the yearly increase in the minimum capitalization requirements of life and non-life insurance firms until it reaches P500 million by 2011.

Of the P500 million yearly capitalization, according to the department order, P350 million should be the paid-up capital and the other half should be the statutory reserve.

very rare month.

Currently, the minimum capitalization requirement is set at P24 million. According to the department order, this should be increased to P75 million by the end of the year.

The DOF issued the order in 2006, when the Insurance Commission was still under Francisco Carillo. He was the one who pushed for the hike in the capitalization requirements of insurance firms, saying that the move was needed to keep the companies at par with their western peers in the region.

But when Eduardo Manalo took over, replacing Carillo as insurance commissioner last year, the regulator spoke with industry players that the department order was too stiff.

The life insurance sector also opposes the yearly increase in the minimum capitalization requirement under the department rules.

PLIA said not all insurance companies could afford a yearly increase, which could even lead to the closure of some small insurance players.

Insurance companies that do not meet the minimum capitalization requirements are asked to follow additional capital to meet it.

Under the Insurance Commission Order, a once-and-for-all order will be issued to firms that fail to comply with the minimum capitalization requirements.

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**Question center awardees**

Succulent 1923 Unifunctional Learning Center, Inc. (SLUCI) board chair Conrado "Abo" Francisco announced that the center will award trophies, scholarships and prizes to winners who have consistently supported SLUCI on Oct. 17. It will coincide with the graduation of hundreds of school beneficiaries of the SLUCI Learning Center. Front row (L-R)—SLUCI chairman Conrado Francisco, board chairman Abo Francisco, president Fred Pinar, back row (L-R) learning program consultant Lisa Harris, vice president for national affairs Diana Morales, treasurer Flor Santiago, director Renea Cavallero and Laura Parker, officer in charge and administrator of SLUCI.

# Why Chris Tiu is a real champion

By John Ramirez  
Contributor

**W**HEN I MADE SURE TO BE AGGRESSIVE and just give everything 'til I had it," Chris Tiu, seven captain of the Arroyo Blue Eagles, explained their recent 2008 UMAP basketball championship—a decisive Game 2 of the best-of-three finals series against archrival De La Salle University.

Chris, who's just played his final year in UMAP, is planning what he'll do after graduating next summer. In the meantime, he is celebrating his recent's victory.



**AFRODITE Blue Eagles' Chris Tiu**

Tiu led the Arroyo Blue Eagles to their third UMAP performance in the last five decades—11 straight wins en route to the 2008 championship. The team earned one of the 2008 Mykalof Five, averaging 14.4 points, 6.1 rebounds and 3.6 assists per game.

Christopher John Alandy-ty Tiu, 23, is a recent medical student. This Xavier High School graduate dropped a year playing for the Blue Eagles to study in France, then returned home to pursue a second master in Finance and Applied Math.

A university dean's niece, Chris is also an active member of his lineage, a former 18 chairman who eventually became a "bigman" in his village. His own specialties: the lineage council's sports development programs, organizing basketball events and other activities for his constituents.

**Certified 'Kapuno'**

Chris is also now trying his hand in show business—in "Dance Revolution" as Manny Reyes on stage. He also has his own show, "Eggy's Follow It or Not," where he has to be in front of the camera, being in costume in a primary scenario. He has to watch his back.

How does he do it, given his activities—basketball, studies, public service and showbiz?

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For drinks of softdrinks and water, most of Chris Tiu is well in health tips and more, visit [www.dailylife.com](http://www.dailylife.com).

## GOINGS ON

### Christmas bazaar

THE BELLEVUE Hotel presents a Christmas bazaar on Nov. 22 at the Grand Ballroom, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Invite most unique items such as leather accessories, bags, shoes, and gift items from over 100 entrepreneurs and designers. Call line Sam Jean at (802) 862-7888.

### Halloween tricks and treats

Star City's Halloween Fun Festival will be held at the Star City Convention Center on Oct. 24-25, where you can enjoy an all-inclusive event (common-sense) items. Members of Star City's all-inclusive event center where Star City's all-inclusive event center where Star City's all-inclusive event center.

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Panel 1: Sarfeld is looking at a small object in his hand.  
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**POODLEBROT** BY BOB ODENKIRK

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**SWINE COMEDY** BY BOB ODENKIRK

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**SHIRT SIZES** BY BOB ODENKIRK

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**ATOMIC AND WISDOM** BY BOB ODENKIRK

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